

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 95-773-C - ORDER NO. 95-1207 ✓  
JUNE 9, 1995

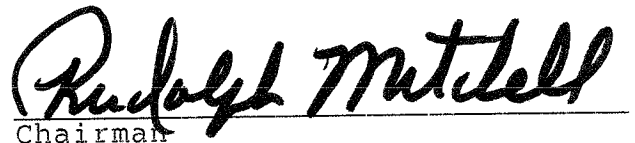
IN RE: Joint Petition of Pond Branch Telephone     ) ORDER GRANTING  
Company and Ridge Telephone Company for     ) REQUEST TO  
Approval of Merger and Other Relief.     ) WITHDRAW  
                                                           ) INTERVENTION

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the receipt of a letter from the Consumer Advocate for the State of South Carolina requesting to withdraw its Intervention in this Docket. The letter states that based upon an agreement reached between the Consumer Advocate and the Applicants, that the Consumer Advocate withdraws its Intervention in this case.

Upon examination of this matter, the Commission believes and so finds that the Consumer Advocate should be allowed to withdraw its Intervention. Therefore, the Commission finds and concludes that the Consumer Advocate's request to withdraw its Intervention should be and is hereby granted.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director  
(SEAL)